

FISCAL NOTE

SB 646 - HB 1528

February 15, 2007

SUMMARY OF BILL: Provides an annual supplemental income bonus of at least \$600 up to 5% of the annual salary for eligible firefighters. Current law allows for a bonus of up to \$600 per eligible firefighter.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$854,000 - \$5,984,000

Assumptions:

- The appropriation for salary supplements in FY06-07 is \$2,565,900.
- The average annual salary for firefighters is approximately \$30,000.
- Approximately 5,700 qualifying firefighters.
- An additional \$854,000 would be needed to fund salary supplements of \$600 for each firefighter.
- An additional \$5,984,000 would be needed to fund salary supplements of 5% for each firefighter.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" and last name "White" clearly distinguishable.

James W. White, Executive Director

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